TRAFFIC ADVISORY



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

State Route 238/Mission Blvd. Roadway Rehabilitation Project Weekend Closures Planned south of Stevenson Blvd.

FREMONT/UNION CITY –Work continues for the State Route 238/Mission Blvd. Roadway Rehabilitation Project between Interstate 680 in Fremont and Blanche Street in Hayward.

On two weekends beginning Friday, May 13 and Friday, June 3, the Caltrans contractor plans to work at the railroad undercrossing between Stevenson Blvd. and Las Palmas Avenue. From 8 p.m. Friday, May 13, until 6 a.m. Monday, May 16, two lanes will be closed on the northbound side of SR 238. Two-way traffic will be in place on the southbound side. Between Stevenson Blvd. and Las Palmas Avenue, one lane will remain open for southbound SR 238. One lane from northbound SR 238 will be detoured to the southbound (west) side of the highway. This closure is necessary due to the limited space and to allow crews a safe area to work. Motorists should expect delays of 15 to 20 minutes during this closure.

Detour: to avoid this construction, follow Walnut Avenue. to Paseo Padre Parkway, to Driscoll Road, and back to Mission Blvd., or the opposite direction, depending on direction of travel.

A second closure is planned for the two southbound lanes between Stevenson Blvd. and Las Palmas Avenue beginning 8 p.m., Friday, June 3, and continuing through 6 a.m. Monday morning, June 6. For this work, two-way traffic will be in place on the northbound side of the highway.

Additional Work

- Roadway base repair will continue between Stevenson Blvd. and Tamarack Drive, Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Crews will be replacing poles for traffic signals at Las Palmas Avenue, beginning Monday, May 9. Please be alert for construction workers and lane closures.



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- Caltrans will switch to the new traffic signals at Nursery Avenue on Tuesday, May
 17. During the switch, there will be stop signs at the intersection of Nursery
 Avenue and Mission Blvd. Motorists should expect delays during this work.
- Crews will be working throughout the project at other locations, including between Blanche Street in Hayward and Tamarack Drive in Union City. Please be alert for lane closures and construction workers.
- Paving is planned to begin in mid to late May.

For more information about the project, please go to www.dot.ca.gov/dist4/238mission/, and please remember to "Slow for the Cone Zone."

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